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Performance of Operation

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I. Performance of Operation.

The operation can be performed only by a duly qualified and registered North Carolina surgeon authorized by the Eugenics Board.

A. Surgeon's authorization.

The surgeon must have a written authorization signed by the petitioner - Form No. 5 - Authorization of Petitioner to Surgeon. (This form is printed on the back of Form No. 4).

B. Surgeon's report to Eugenics Board.

The surgeon who performs the operation is responsible for reporting to the Eugenics Board the type of operation and the date of the operation. This return is made to the Executive Secretary of the Eugenics Board on the Certificate of Surgeon section of Form No. 4 - Order for Operation of Sterilization.

C. Type of operation.

Only the type of operation authorized by the Eugenics Board - sterilization or asexualization - can be performed by the surgeon.

1. Asexualization is authorized only in unusual circumstances.

If the examining physician feels that this operation is necessary, he should specifically recommend it. The petitioner should see that the petition is accompanied by a detailed explanation of the circumstances which justify this operation.